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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	David J. Lentz, et al.)
Serial No.:	10/774,665)) Art Unit) 3763)
Filed:	February 9, 2004	
For:	CATHETER ARTICULATION SEGMENT WITH ALTERNATING CUTS)))
Examiner:	Cris L. Rodriguez))
Customer No:	23862))
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the election/restriction requirement in the Office Action dated June 23, 2006, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on July 23, 2006, please consider the following election as a complete and full response.